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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an election of the invention to be examinerd as required in the office action of 12/22/99.

No additional fees are required.

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This communication is responsive to the office action of 12/22/99 in the above described patent application.

The applicant elects to prosecute claim 1.

Claim 2 is herewith withdrawn from consideration at this time without prejudice.

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